

William Freeman papers

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Summary Information

Repository	Indiana State Library
Title	William Freeman papers
Date	1883/02/11
Extent	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
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Biographical Note

William Freeman was born to James and Elizabeth (Gull) Freeman (natives of Lincolnshire, England) on January 6, 1841 in Medina County, Ohio. They moved to Indiana, where he read medicine under two doctors. He served in the Civil War in the 30th Indiana Regiment, Company H. He received a wound which was written up in medical journals as very unusual. He married Laura Radley in 1866, with whom he had four children. He graduated from the Indiana Medical College of Indianapolis in 1867. He was elected to the Indiana House of Representatives in 1877 from Switzerland County. He worked as a farmer, doctor, and teacher. He served as the Commissioner for the Plainfield House of Refuge in Hendricks County from 1881-1883. He died on December 16, 1910 of yellow fever in New Orleans, Louisiana.

"Freeman, William." (1980). In A biographical directory of the Indiana General Assembly . (v.1, p. 134). Indianapolis, IN: Indiana Historical Society. ISLI 920 B15

"Freeman, William". INGenWeb Project. Retrieved 2013/10/07. <http://www.ingenweb.org/inswitzer/bios/freemanWilliam.html>

"Freeman, William". New Orleans, Louisiana, Death Records Index, 1804-1949. Retrieved 1013/10/07. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes an autographed, signed letter from William Freeman in Vevay, Indiana on 1883/02/11 regarding the wound he received during the Civil War and the documentation of it.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Indiana State Library

Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

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This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Vevay (Ind.)

Personal Name(s)

- Freeman, William

Subject(s)

- Civil war
- Correspondence
- Rare Books and Manuscripts